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IN RESPONSE QUESTION IN HOUSE COMMONS BY NDP BERGER
TODAY WHETHER CUBANA AIRLINES PLANE WITH TWO EAST GERMAN
TECHNICIANS ABOARD HAD LANDED GOOSE BAY THIS MORNING AND
WHETHER IT WAS SEARCHED TO AID US FONMIN GREEN REPLIED:

GOVT HAS BEEN CONCERNED SOMETIME ABOUT OVERFLIGHTS AND
HAS INFORMED SOVIETS NO FURTHER STOPS IN CANADA PERMITTED
FOR SOVIET FLIGHTS TO CUBA. GOVT HAS INSTITUTED INSPECTION
FOR OTHER BLOC FLIGHTS TO ENSURE NO ARMS BEING SENT TO
CUBA. GREEN CONFIRMED CUBANA PLANE LANDED GOOSE BAY LAST
NIGHT ON PRAGUE-HAVANA RUN, WAS SEARCHED AND ALLOWED
PROCEED HAVANA. GREEN ADDED CANADA CONCERNED ONLY WITH
WEAPONS NOT PERSONNEL WHICH ALSO US POLICY.

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